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MISSING MILLER REPORTED

Graphic Story of Camden Industry Told By Ellison

Factories Needed to Shoulder Burden of Taxes, and Create Markets

CAMDEN MEN VISIT

Ouachita Agriculture Is Brought Back by Industrial Pay Roll

New industry to utilize the raw products of the South, and to furnish new markets for the dwindling agriculture of Arkansas, was pictured brilliantly and graphically by Luther Ellison, secretary of Camden Chamber of Commerce and the South Arkansas Chamber of Commerce, in an address before the Hope Rotary club Friday noon at Hotel Barlow.

"For 55 years Arkansas farmed for a living, and her agriculture grew poorer and poorer," said Mr. Ellison. "In recent years 11,380 farms have been abandoned in this state. Six hundred and eighteen of them were in my home county, Ouachita."

Camden's industry
"Five years ago the business men of Camden determined to do something to check this decline. They reached out after industry. When it wouldn't move of its own accord, they helped to finance it."

"Today the City of Camden has 16 factories employing 1,500 persons, with an annual pay roll of \$2,400,000. "And such a new market for agricultural products has been developed by this industrial activity that 217 of these 618 abandoned Ouachita county farms have gone back into business again."

Mr. Ellison was one of a group of Camden Rotary visitors appearing here on a guest program, sponsored by Homer Figg of the local program committee. In the Camden party were: Dr. J. B. Jameson, who introduced his companions; G. S. Purifoy, president of the Camden club; G. H. Hartung, president-elect; and Mrs. Jack Newton and Miss Mary Smith, well known Camden entertainers who sang a number of "blues" and were enthusiastically received.

Byron Cox, Rotarian of Stamps, was a visitor; as was also H. Vandiver, representative of the Mid-South Cotton association, who spoke briefly; George Hatcher, of El Dorado, and Lyle M. Webb, of Hope.

During Mr. Ellison's address, Dr. Jameson distributed among the Rotarians various products from Camden's 16 factories.

The great mill of the International Paper company, at Camden uses 400 cords of wood a day. Mr. Ellison said, turning this into 160 to 180 tons of kraft paper daily.

Room For Paper Mills
"With 250,000 acres of cut-over land, this mill has a perpetual cut," he said. "That means we have here in South Arkansas sufficient materials for 30 such giant mills—or 9,000,000 acres of cut-over land."

"I would call to your attention the fact that we are approaching a crisis in Arkansas. Either we must cut down our state and county governmental expenses, and reduce the cost of the public schools, or we must go out and get industry of the type which will prosper in this section and will help us bear the load of taxation—and the sooner we bring in this industry the better."

"How foolish of us to spend \$6,000 to \$10,000 educating our young men and women and then see 1,500 of them leave Arkansas every year in search of opportunity in the North and East. We need to import that industry which will afford professional fields for our educated boys and girls, instead of driving them away with an agricultural business which has been out-moded and has been on the decline these many years."

More Loyalty Needed
"Arkansas also needs more home pride, home loyalty, if you please. Camden has a furniture plant which employs 151 persons and has orders now on hand to keep it running at full blast to August 15 if no more orders come in. But only recently we placed some Camden furniture alongside some High Point (N. C.) furniture in a great Little Rock department store, each set of furniture tagged with its manufacturing city. The first day the store sold 14 suites of the North Carolina furniture and only 2 of the Camden product. Next day the tags were reversed, and Arkansas people bought 13 suites of their own product under a North Carolina label, and only one of the North Carolina product, which was labeled "made in Arkansas."

"Why simply because we don't want to buy at home. We'd rather pay the freight on the other fellow's product."

The annual Rotary club Ladies Night will be observed next Friday, May 22, at Hotel Barlow. It was announced by Terrell Cornelius, committee chairman.

Hasn't Changed His Attire Yet



London is still speculating on how Mahatma Gandhi will be dressed when he comes to attend the India Round Table Conference and be received by King George at Buckingham Palace. Meanwhile, the diminutive Indian leader, seen here in the newest photo of him to reach this country, enjoys the scanty native garb which he may or may not exchange for coat, waistcoat and trousers on his visit to the British capital.

State Is Praised For Blevins Road

H. L. Sutton Writes Star About Dinner Given Highway Crew

Editor The Star: I am not a newspaper writer but I cannot refrain from writing you at this time. The Hope and Blevins Highway No. 29 was completed today with the exception of the gravel which I understand will be placed on it at an early date. My object in writing this letter is to try in my humble way to express the sincere gratitude of myself and the citizenship of this part of Hempstead county and Southwest Arkansas.

It has been my privilege to view this road during the entire time of construction. Language fails me when I try to express the appreciation we have for Major Stanford. We have found him to be kind, courteous, obliging and efficient. He demonstrated marked ability when he placed one Ed Nelson in charge of the construction of this road. Mr. Nelson is easily one of the best road builders in this part of the state. He has endeavored himself to all the people along the Highway from Hope to Blevins, for his kind and courteous treatment to all.

On yesterday as the road was being completed some of the good women of this, the Jakajones community, prepared a nice dinner for Mr. Nelson and his co-workers, as a token of their appreciation. The workers had made a table by the roadside and when the good things were spread they all enjoyed a great feast together.

I would not forget to say that Mr. Nelson always maintained as high type men in his employ as can be found on a public job of this kind. Now as this road is near completion it has connected two of the best towns in Southwest Arkansas and we are all looking forward to better days.

In conclusion I want to say that we are not unmindful of the time, energy and space that the efficient Editor of the Hope Star has contributed to this road project. I voice the sentiments of this community in thanking him, Major Stanford, Mr. Nelson, and any one else who has contributed to the promotion of this road.

Yours truly,
H. L. SUTTON.

May 13, 1931
Blevins, Ark.

Hamp Williams In Critical Condition

Hospital Attaches Report Hot Springs Man to Be Dying

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Attaches at St. Vincent's Infirmary said Friday that Hamp Williams, Hot Springs banker, was "very low" and was not expected to live through the day.

He was stricken while attending the Arkansas Bankers convention in April. Mr. Williams is 71 years of age.

Schafer Plans to Question Congress About Prohibition

Wisconsin Representative to Ask Questions About Enforcements

CITES FOREIGNERS

Says Taxpayers Jailed for Carrying Pint But Others Go Free

WASHINGTON (AP)—Representative Schafer intends to ask the house expenditures committee of the next Congress to determine, "Why law enforcement officers of the Federal Government are permitting foreign representatives to violate the 18th amendment."

Referring to incidents related to the recent raid by liquor thieves on Salvadoran Legation, Schafer wrote Secretary Stimson Friday: "It appears indefensible for officials of a government to permit violations of the prohibition law," by diplomats.

Schafer, a Wisconsin Republican and anti-prohibitionist said he could see no reason why taxpaying Americans be sent to jail for transporting a pint of liquor while diplomats are transporting liquor by the truck load.

Mystery Surrounds Blasting of Home

Blast of Dynamite Destroys Building at Camden Early Thursday

CAMDEN.—Ouachita county officers Thursday night failed to solve the mystery surrounding the blasting early Thursday of a vacant house belonging to C. E. Pinkard at Laney, south of here.

The house, which was situated at the rear of a building in which Pinkard and his family were sleeping, was completely wrecked. Officers believe a dynamite charge was thrown into the structure from the outside.

Pinkard could give no reason for the blasting.

Kiwanis Club To Resume Its Trips

Good Will Excursions in the County Will Begin Again May 28

Kiwanis good will trips into neighboring community centers, are to be resumed Thursday, May 28, according to plans completed at the regular Thursday night meeting of the local civic club. Dr. A. J. Neighbors and A. E. Stonequist have been named to make arrangements for programs and meetings to be held every two weeks throughout the summer months.

On alternate weeks, the club will meet 30 minutes to an hour earlier than at present, and will leave immediately after for the community to be visited. One or two talks and several musical numbers will be presented at each community visit. Last year the Kiwanis club held about 10 good-will meetings.

The club is asking the Missouri Pacific railway to beautify the narrow strip of railroad property opposite the hall. This tract of ground, owned by the railroad, extends from Elm street to the Frisco tracks. The club hopes to interest the railroad in the idea of making this a beauty spot, with grass and foliage, to set off the attractiveness of the municipal building. Joe Floyd was appointed a committee of one in charge of this.

The club is also undertaking the construction of a handsome fountain on the southwest corner of the block occupied by the City Hall, provided the necessary arrangements can be made.

Norman Lewis, member of the local Boy Scout troop, represented that organization at Thursday night's meeting. Another visitor was Joe Floyd, who is returning to active participation in the club. Fat Simpson and E. G. Coop were elected into membership.

Arkansas Woman Finds Husband Shot to Death

CONWAY, Ark.—(AP)—The wife of George W. Glover, 31, a farmer living seven miles southeast of here, found him dead of a gunshot wound on the floor near his bed Wednesday night.

Mrs. Glover said after their evening meal her husband suggested they retire early. Later she was awakened by a shot and found his body.

Schumann-Heink Nears 70



Seventy years old on June 14, Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink will observe the anniversary by singing in a benefit recital for the unemployed at her home in Coronado, California. Her accompaniment will be provided by 212 musicians. Here the world-famous diva is shown in her most recent photo with one of her sons, Henry.

Laborers Strike For Higher Wages

Workers on Road Near Winslow Accept Compromise

WINSLOW, Ark.—(AP)—W. M. Partier, superintendent of the Hartman-Clark Brothers Construction Company, said Thursday night he had reached an agreement with 24 employees of the company who went on a strike for higher wages.

Mr. Partier said he had agreed with the men, all laborers, on a wage scale of 22 1-2 cents an hour. The 24 men, residents of this vicinity, had received 20 cents an hour and struck for 25 cents. Work will be resumed Friday.

Shortly after the 24 stopped work at 8 Thursday morning, the company secured men from Fayetteville to take their places, but the latter group was persuaded by the strikers to leave. No act of violence was committed.

The Hartman-Clark Company, with headquarters in Peoria, Ill., is engaged in paving state Highway No. 71 under a contract from the Highway Department. The work has progressed to a point just outside the city limits.

The strikers charged other workers from out of the state were receiving more pay than they.

Reconstruction Is Urged by Pope Pius

Condemns Concentration of Wealth as a Menace to Country

ROME.—(AP)—Reconstruction of the entire economic system "bringing it back to the requirements of Social justice so as to insure a more equitable distribution of united proceeds of capital and labor" was urged in aencycllical letter issued Friday by Pope Pius, eleventh.

The letter carries still further the encyclical rerum novarum issued 40 years ago by Pope Leo, thirteenth. Asserting that the economic system is seriously warped by grave abuses, the Pope condemns concentration of wealth and asserts that the only efficacious remedy is the return to sane principles of Christian and social philosophy.

Flying Kitchentte On Tour of States

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—(UP)—A "flying kitchentte" airplane, complete even to the ice box and compact electric stove, now is being flown on a tour of the West by the Stinson Aircraft Company of Detroit.

The ship is an eight-passenger model, equipped with lounge chairs, dressing rooms and a small kitchen. Furnishings include a bridge table, individual headsets for radio reception, desks and small tables for buffet luncheons.

Bulletins

GENEVA.—Economic depression is the most serious threat to European accord, Aristide Briand, French Foreign Minister, declared Friday at the opening session of the commission to study his project for the Pan European Federation.

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Bids for surfacing with asphalt 157 miles of highways of which 82 are on Highway No. 3, between Clarendon and McNeil, were asked for Friday by the Highway Commission for May 21 at which time the commission meets. The commission to date has asked for bids on 18 projects for the May meeting.

European Contest Over Navies Tight

Fast German Cruiser Worries Other Naval Authorities

PARIS.—(UP)—The Admiralty of London and the Naval Ministries of all the capitals on the Continent are frankly bothered by news which has come from Kiel where the second of the German "Panderkreuler" A-cruisers, the Prusse, is being touched up for launching by President Hindenburg soon.

The cruiser, which has taken 32 months to build at a cost of \$20,000,000, is admitted by French experts to be built. There are many pessimists, the greatest small fighting ship ever experts in the French naval staff who insist that ton for ton the German ship will greatly surpass the new 2333-ton London-Treaty cruisers France is to build.

The new light-weight engines in the Prusse, which have been brought down in weight to 16 pounds per horsepower unit, have no equal in any other navy and the advantage of the German warship lies in the fact that, fitted with such engines, it can out-speed any other ship in a long cruise. That makes it particularly dangerous as a raider along the commerce sea lanes of the world.

Even among its newest cruisers, Britain has nothing to compare to the Prusse. France and Italy, each allowed two 2333-ton cruisers under the recent agreement, may develop something its equal, but the superior tonnage will make the French and Italian ships twice the targets.

The following brief table of comparative statistics shows the merits of these various cruisers:

German Prusse—31 knots; 10,000 tons; 55,000 h.p.; six 11-inch guns, plus smaller batteries; 10,000 miles radius at 26 knots; mine-proof.

British Dorsetshire Class (1930)—10,000 tons; 30,000 h.p.; 32 knots; eight 8-inch guns; 10,000 miles radius at 14 knots.

French 2333 cruiser (Unmanned class)—2333 tons; 30,000 h.p.; 3 knots; nine 11-inch guns; 11,000 mile radius at 20 knots; carries six sea-planes.

School Election To Open at 8 in County Saturday

All Boards Must Have Six Members According to New Law

MERGERS TO VOTE

All School Districts Will Operate Alike After This Election

Saturday is the date for the annual school elections throughout the county and state. The elections will be held under the new law enacted by the last legislature, which makes a number of changes, some of the most important of which are noted below:

Voting 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m. at places designated by the County Board of Education.

All boards must have six members. Those already having six will elect to fill expired terms as heretofore. Those now having three must elect six, for in such cases no member of the present board holds over.

Under the new law all districts will operate alike, there being no special districts except in towns or cities with 2,500 population or more.

Must Prepare Budget
All boards must by June 1 submit a budget of next school year's contemplated expenditures to the county superintendent for his approval, and expenditures must not exceed the budget. An estimate has already been made and published specifying the misage that should be voted by each district.

Where names have not been placed on the ballot, as required by petition, the voters may write names on when voting.

Two members of the county board are to be elected.

Ruling Is Given in Government Case

Floodway Damage to the Property Must Be Compensated

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—The United States Court of Appeals Friday held that the Government does not have authority to subject property to floodway damage without compensation.

This decision was handed down in a test case known as Foster Kincaid versus the United States for an injunction to stop construction on the Boeuf Floodway until such time as the government can acquire flowage rights over the property.

An injunction was granted some time ago in the United States District court and affirmed by the Appellate court.

Quaker City Dry Agents Practice Marksmanship

PHILADELPHIA.—(AP)—When the agents from the Philadelphia Prohibition office conduct raids in the future they'll all know how to shoot.

For under orders from Commander John H. Pennington, Prohibition Administrator for the tri-state area, forty of the best men in the bureau are working on the National Guard pistol range in the armory of the 108th Field Artillery.

Each man is expected to make a definite rating during the course of instruction which they are taking and an accurate record is kept of the points they make on the range.

School Election Saturday, May 16

The names of J. O. Johnson and C. D. Middlebrooks appear on the ballot as candidates for County Board of Education of Hempstead county.

Mr. Johnson is a resident of Columbus. He has for some years been a member of the local board of directors of Columbus school district, and has all times shown a deep interest in doing all in his power to give to his people the best of school advantages.

Flying Brother of Flying Sister



All the flying in the Nichols family isn't on the feminine side of the house. While Ruth Nichols, New York aviatrix, plans a flight across the Atlantic, her brother, Snowden, shown above, studies aviation at Brooks Field, Texas. He is a graduate of Princeton University.

Suspect Held In Lepanto Murder

Claiborne Henderson Is Bound Over to Grand Jury After Killing

LAPANTO, Ark.—(AP)—After a preliminary hearing Thursday, Claiborne Henderson, 23, was held to the Grand Jury on a charge of murder for the slaying and attempted cremation of John Frisby, 63-year-old merchant, in his store here last Wednesday.

Henderson was ordered held to the Grand Jury without bond, but his attorney indicated he would seek a habeas corpus hearing. The next Grand Jury meets in September.

Frisby was killed with a blunt instrument about midnight while he knelt in front of his safe. His body was discovered after two negroes had gone to the store and saw a fire inside. Breaking open a door, officers found the body on a pile of burning paper and excelsior. They expressed belief his assailant had become frightened and attempted to burn the body in an effort to hide the crime.

The only clue found was peculiar tire tracks in an alley at the rear. Henderson was arrested the next day when officers discovered an automobile he was driving had tires which corresponded to the tracks. He denied he knew anything of the slaying, but admitted he was in the alley.

At the hearing Thursday, Alvin Shelton testified he saw Henderson making a "billy" out of a broom handle similar to one found near Frisby's body. The broom handle had been hollowed out and lead poured in. Officers testified clothes Henderson was wearing the night Frisby was killed had dark stains, believed to be bloodstains.

Crutchfield Home on Hervey Burns

2 A. M. Fire Friday Destroys Residence While Family Is Away

The Elbert Crutchfield residence on South Hervey street was burned at 2 o'clock Friday morning when fire broke out in the absence of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Crutchfield were on a fishing trip at Grassy lake and returned later Friday morning to find the brick residence gutted by flames. The Crutchfields lost all furniture and personal belongings in the blaze, which city firemen held to the original property, but were unable to do more than save the brick walls of the building.

Army Recruiting in City Friday, Saturday

Sergeant C. P. Taylor of the U. S. Army Recruiting Corps arrived in Hope late Thursday and will be stationed here Friday and Saturday for the interviewing of Hempstead county men who wish to enlist in military service.

Sergeant Taylor, whose permanent headquarters are in Texas, will have second-floor offices in Hope postoffice during his stay here.

There are vacancies in every branch of the Army, and enlistments are welcome, the sergeant said. Candidates should interview at the local postoffice before Saturday night.

Man Answering to Description Seen at Clarendon, Ark.

Sheriff Reveals This Information to the Investigators

SEARCH CONTINUES

Stuttgart Miller Believed For Time to Have Drowned

CLARENDON, Ark.—(AP)—Sheriff John G. Roberts revealed Friday that a man whose description corresponded to A. U. McGill, missing Stuttgart Arkansas rice miller, left Clarendon in a taxi-cab an hour or two after McGill disappeared and his automobile went over a cliff into the White river last Tuesday night.

Insurance investigators, the sheriff said, are seeking to identify the man seen here as McGill.

Sheriff Roberts said the investigators told him McGill had insurance amounting to more than \$200,000.

McGill, 40 years of age, whose milling company was placed in receiver's hands a few hours after his disappearance was last seen at midnight Tuesday night with his car parked on a high cliff where it developed engine trouble.

Guy Crockett left McGill to go for aid and when he returned found that the car had plunged over the cliff and McGill was missing.

Insecticide To Be Produced in City

Swat, Name of New Product Manufactured by K. G. McRae, Jr.

A new industry for Hope, starting in a small way, is an insecticide manufacturing business, which K. G. McRae, Jr., launched here some time ago. He has already secured distribution for his product through Hope and other Southwest Arkansas stores. His product is new to this section, although it has been used with remarkable success for many years in South America, where insect life is more profuse than here.

Tom Williams, brother of Mrs. McRae, who lives in Buenos Aires, and who represents a large number of American chemical manufacturing firms in Brazil, Chile and the Argentine, supplied the formula for this new product. Mr. Williams has sold it extensively in his section of the world for several years. He has been located in Buenos Aires for 17 years, and represents most of the American chemical firms who operate in that section.

Mr. McRae has built large vats for making this new insecticide, in the rear of the McRae hardware store. The product he calls Swat. He is now engaged in arranging for its sale in retail stores in this section.

Fine Oat Display Is Shown Friday

Local Farmer Brings in Bunch Measuring 7 Feet in Height

The tallest bunch of oats ever brought to this office were shown here Friday afternoon by Walter Anderson, farmer who lives a short distance west of Hope on the 16th Street road.

Mr. Anderson has 30 acres of oats sowed and although the year not all so tall as this particular bunch, which measures 7 feet, they are exceptionally fine, Mr. Anderson says.

"We expect to begin harvesting our earliest patch about the latter part of the week and are going to bale them so they will not take up so much room" he said.

Notre Dame Game Is Grounds For Divorce

LOS ANGELES.—(UP)—When Notre Dame played the University of Southern California in football last December Mrs. Esther F. Gerneaux's husband told her he had a ticket for her. When game time came, however, Gerneaux failed to appear. Mrs. Gerneaux learned he had taken someone else to the game.

Today there is an entry on the books of Los Angeles county to show that Mrs. Gerneaux has divorced Carmie A. Gerneaux.

"He promised to take me to the Notre Dame game and bought a ticket," she explained to a judge. "Then he took someone else and I didn't get to see the game."

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The Star's Platform

CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.
 Move city pavement in 1931, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.
 Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.
 Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.
 Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative efforts are practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.
 Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.
 Free Arkansas from the cattle-tick.

Prosperity Will Begin Here

BRADSTREET'S report telegraphed from New York last Wednesday said that building construction would be one of the first industries to recover from the depression. Instead of the usual seasonal decline of 1.5 per cent from March to April, there was an increase of 6.4 per cent this year.

What is true of the construction business in industry, is also true of raw commodity prices in the whole fabric of national business.

On his return-home from the East a couple of months ago, this writer expressed the belief the South and Southwest would recover before the East did. We believed the price of farm staples would come back before industry does.

Our reasoning may be rather involved. But it's like this: The expert financial writers all tell us that both industry and raw material prices were shot to pieces in August, 1929, and it was the last of October, three months after, before the stock market crashed. And they say that industry and commodity prices will be on the upgrade again from three to six months before the market finds its out.

We were impressed with a feeling of extreme pessimism in the East in February and March. They depend largely on industry and on security prices which flow out of industry. The devastating market collapse is revealed in its full light by the current issue of the Literary Digest. The Digest quotes the Wall Street Journal in an article on the late George F. Baker, third richest man in America, as saying that in 1929 the value of Mr. Baker's holdings in seven great corporations fell from 279 million dollars to 110 millions. His seven companies were: First National Bank of New York; Guaranty Trust, A. T. & T., U. S. Steel, New York Central, Lackawanna railroad and the B. & O.

Stocks, being a part of industry, are only worth what they earn. They are mere trading symbols for that fundamental commerce which makes a profit for the producer, the handler, the shipper and the retailer. Just as the losses began at the bottom and worked up, so the profits will probably start there.

The severest losses in trade lines throughout the South and Southwest have been in the retailers of industrial goods. You have seen their advertisements virtually vanish from the daily papers. Yet the broader commercial lines have held up to a greater degree. They are advertised in constantly increasing volume this spring.

We have no outlook for improvement in cotton prices this fall, but with lower production costs, there will be more in it for the producer at the same price that was commanded last year. And after that there should be a decided improvement. Economic recovery is bound to begin in our own section.

A Healthier Life

ONE of the favorite dreams of this scientific age has been that human life, at some time in the near future, will be measurably lengthened. The "average life span" that we hear so much about has been stretched in the last generation or so, most of us have a lurking hope that it will eventually go far beyond the scriptural three score and ten.

However, the experts on such matters are a bit dubious about it. There is, for example, Lee K. Frankel of the Metropolitan Life Insurance, who told the American Philosophical Society recently that the actual number of years which an individual can attain will probably never be much greater than it is now.

Still, Mr. Frankel is an optimist. Human beings of the future may not live much longer than human beings of today, but he believes they will be a great deal healthier. They will support fewer hospitals and orphan asylums, and their doctors will be busier preventing disease than curing it.

And this, after all, is about all that any sensible man would hope for. The yearning for everlasting life seems to be one of mankind's fundamental traits, but it is always assumed that that immortality will be enjoyed in another world than this. The earth has too many imperfections. Few people care to linger on it indefinitely.

But the mere length, in years, of one's earthly existence is not a prime consideration. Whether we are to have 50 years or twice 50, the most important question is, what are those going to be like? In promising better health for our grandchildren, Mr. Frankel holds up a brighter picture than would be the case if he simply promised longer life.

To have life and to have it more abundantly has always been the race's greatest earthly hope. It is back of every great migration of massed tribes and nations, back of every revolution, back of many bloody wars; the hope that somehow something can be done to make the ordinary man's existence a little bit less bare, a little bit more full of those moments of contentment, of ecstasy or of achievement that give it significance.

With that goal mere length of days has little to do. We need not be disappointed if science finds itself unable to promise a longer life. It is promising a better one—a life the powers that are in them. That is enough. We would be more free from pain, a life in which men can more fully use their faculties to ask for more.

A Scandal Coming

THE most courageous political act of the decade was the refusal of the Highway Audit Commission last Wednesday to proceed with a program which would merely have whitewashed the bookkeeping of the State Highway Department.

The Editor of this newspaper has supported the Martineau bonded road program ever since its announcement in 1926, and the Harrelson road law as far back at 1923. We voted for the governors who built roads. We voted for them and supported them on this one issue, almost to the exclusion of other public policies.

But the road program is close to completion. Virtually one hundred million dollars has been expended in the last four years, no accounting for which has ever been made by an impartial public audit. An audit is over-due. It has been overdue for a year or more.

The administration set up an auditing system in 1929 that certified public accountants refused to work under. Governor Parnell made his campaign in 1930 on the promise to produce an audit. The 1931 legislature passed a new audit law, and this also was criticized by the public accountants.

And now the Highway Audit Commission, a non-partisan group of reputable men, backs up the accountants' verdict with a damning statement.

The Star has no political friends or foes. It only aims to tell the truth about government for that section of Arkansas which we serve. And we say this, unless Governor Parnell adds a highway audit bill to his call for the special session of the legislature to discuss school relief this autumn, we shall fight every member of the Little Rock clique who offers himself as a candidate in the next state election.

The administration passed a "flake" audit bill in 1929, and again in 1931. This error had better be corrected before the next election.

On the face of the evidence submitted to the court of public opinion, nobody in Little Rock wants an audit, and everybody has taken special pains to see that an audit could not be made. There is a reason for every "flake" law. The jokers are planted.

Governor Parnell has a lot to say about what the Audit Commission might do. Chairman Blackwood of the State Highway Commission says if the law is faulty and he can't be subpoenaed, he is willing to waive immunity and appear voluntarily. Weigh all this against the "book record," which we have summarized from the Audit Commission's report to the governor:

A. The work of the Audit Commission is restricted to the "examination of records."

1. It can't investigate a single piece of road in the state.
2. No test may be made of material used.
3. No investigation is permitted as to whether the character of highway construction lived up to the plans and specifications.
4. The auditors are prohibited from hiring an engineer who knows something about road construction.
5. The auditing commission is without authority to compel witnesses to appear before it, to swear such witnesses in, or to hear their testimony.
6. The commission has no authority to investigate purchases of material, machinery and equipment beyond the "book record."
7. The commission may not view, appraise, or inventory Highway Department equipment now on hand.

B. Yet if there has been any intentional wrongdoing in the Highway Department it can be discovered only by going behind the "book record."

1. To obtain a true audit, the auditing commission should have authority to "investigate the various activities of the department not appearing on the records."
2. Any investigation short of this is a waste of money.
3. "It is the unanimous sense of this Commission that to proceed with the audit under the limited powers prescribed by the enabling act would be a waste of money."
4. The commission believes the appropriation of \$100,000 made by the 1931 act is sufficient to pay for the kind of an audit that would be satisfactory to the people.

So much for that. It reads like a political indictment. But it isn't. It is the sober judgment of a body of business men who don't figure prominently in state politics.

And to them we here and now offer our congratulations. We, like the rest of Arkansas, are getting suspicious over this year-after-year delay on the highway audit. As a newspaper that helped protect the state road program from political attack, we should also be the first to expose political plundering if a scandal is coming let's have it. And if that audit law isn't changed to conform with the Highway Audit Commission's recommendations, then we are left to assume that the scandal is already here.—W.

Rules Liquor in Home Is Crime



NEA San Francisco Bureau
 "Any person who has liquor in his home is a criminal," ruled Superior Judge Edward I. Butler of Marin county, Calif., in denying an appeal in a liquor possession charge. "Although the Volstead act is bunglesome and unenforceable, it is the law," he said, adding that anyone who sees liquor in a friend's home also is a lawbreaker if he doesn't report the violation.

A writer asks what is to become of Alfonso's snappy military uniform. It's an old Spanish costume, now.

In Spain they are calling the fellows who clean up after the toreadors "bull-collectors."

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May Daze!



E. S. Jones Sunday afternoon and attended singing here Sunday night.

MELROSE NO. 2

Health is good in this community at present.
 Miss Ethel Newberry spent the week end at Fairview visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Bertha Zimmerly was the dinner guest of Miss Jewell Harris of Hope Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Calhoun and family and Mrs. Rosengum of Columbus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nemberry and family and Arthur Zimmerly spent Sunday at Fairview.

Miss Opal Byron spent Sunday at Magnolia.

Miss Fern Bowden of Shover Springs spent a few days with Misses Ethel and Pearl Newberry.

Mrs. Roy Arnold of Hope spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jim Jackson.

Mrs. Doug Harris of Hope, called on Mrs. C. P. Zimmerly.

BATTLEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Tarpley and children spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Collins, near Dooley's Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan from Evening Shade spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clements was enjoyed by a large number of folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sellous Atkins and little Barbara Jean from Hope spent last Wednesday night with Ben Wilson and family.

Raymond Cornelius of Sheppard, spent Saturday night with Paul Roberts.

Mrs. Mattie Haltom and children of Fairview is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Atkins spent last Thursday night in Hope the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sellous Atkins.

Misses Jeannette Roberts, Mabel Bear, and Stella Tomlin, attended church at Spring Hill Sunday night.

Mrs. M. E. Atkins spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Atkins.

NEW LIBERTY

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hamilton and sons, Herman and Carl, were shopping in Hope Saturday afternoon.

Carl Hamilton is on the sick list, we hope for him a speedy recovery.

Rev. Willie Dillard preached at New Liberty last Sunday.

Mrs. Mittie Langston visited her children in the Piney Grove neighborhood last week.

Quite a crowd attended the lawn party given by Leile Garmley Saturday night and reported a very nice time.

BATTLEFIELD

Health in this vicinity is very good at this writing.

The party at Mrs. Clyde Klemmons was well attended Saturday night.

Miss Willie Stevenson and Mrs. Hurman Anderson were shopping in Hope Saturday.

Miss Lillie Maud McBay of Sheppard spent Saturday night with Miss Maril Reid of this place.

There will be prayer meeting at this place Sunday night. Everybody is invited.

PROVIDENCE

Sunday school and singing at this place was well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ray and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Huddleston of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Simmons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Campbell spent Sunday with relatives at New Hope.

Miss Josephine Jones visited points in Texas, Sunday.

A large number of young folks took Mother's Day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning Sunday. Those present were: Lenna, J. W. and Olin Jones, Paul, Pauline and Frank Simmons, Gladys, Victor and Anna Lee Campbell, Dale Tonnemaker, Ernest Coffee, Beatrice and Melvin Prince and Wilma Roberts.

The party given by Miss Pauline Simmons Saturday night was very much enjoyed by those who attended.

Mrs. C. C. Browning, Mrs. A. F. Simmons, Mrs. A. L. Beegle visited Mrs. P. A. Campbell Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Jones and Venice Yeager of Hope visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Browning.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

FOUR YEARS AGO.

A MONKEY APPEARED ON THE LOUIS WIESE FARM, NEAR OMAHA, NEBRASKA... IT ACCOMPANIED THE COWS IN FROM PASTURE ONE EVENING AND HAS LIVED WITH THE HERD EVER SINCE, AND ALWAYS RIDES TO AND FROM THE PASTURE...



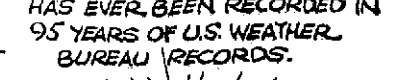
THE JAPANESE ARTIST

PAINTS WITH HIS CANVAS FLAT ON THE FLOOR...



THE DRY SPELL

OF LAST SUMMER WAS GREATER IN DURATION AND ARIDITY THAN HAS EVER BEEN RECORDED IN 95 YEARS OF U. S. WEATHER BUREAU RECORDS.



Other Days

From the Columns of The Star of Hope

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Jim Hicks spent Sunday at home. C. H. Cox of Columbus, was in Hope Wednesday.

Harry Moore went to Ozan Thursday, to buy some cattle.

Miss Fannie Pittman, of Prescott, visited friends in Hope Thursday.

Misses Jett Black and Adelle Briant visited Hot Springs last Sunday.

TEN YEARS AGO

Class honors for the Hope High School graduating class of 1921 were announced this morning. The class honors were awarded as follows: Valedictorian, James Steen; Salutatorian, Marie Gentry; Prophecy, Stuart Spragins; Historian, Jewell Arnett. Class officers are: President, Stuart Spragins; Secretary, Ruby Hart; Treasurer, Jewell Arnett.

Judge Wash Hutson, who was named to procure twenty-five or thirty automobiles for use on Friday, May 21st, to make the trip to Highland orchard with visiting fruit growers, has turned in a list of twenty-six Hope citizens who will furnish cars to make the trip.

Wiley and George Robison, accompanied by their wives, motored to Texarkana yesterday, where they spent the day.

A. C. Erwin, local real estate dealer, and J. N. Riley, cashier of the Hope National Bank, spent Saturday at Prescott on business.

In Vermont, where a cow is pictured on the state seal, we suppose the party chiefs are called political bosses.

A Supreme Court ruling stipulates that ox-tail soup must have ox-tails in it. More bull, as it were.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

If you hear a kind word spoken
Of some worthy soul you know,
It may fill his heart with sunshine
If you only tell him so.
If a deed, however humble,
Helps you on your way to go,
Seek the one whose hand has helped
you.

Seek him out and tell him so
If your heart is touched and tender
Toward a sinner, lost and low,
It might help him to do better
If you'd only tell him so!
If we gave unto the living as we lavish
on the dead

All our heart's long hidden treasure,
All love's full unstinted measure,
Adding day by day, new jewels to
the crown of human bliss,
Then life's burdens would weigh
lightly,
And the sun would shine more brightly,
And now Heaven itself were fairer
than a world as glad as this.
—Selected.

Conspicuous among the club activities of the week, was the meeting of the John Cain Chapter of D. A. R. at the home of Mrs. Chas. Haynes on West Third street with Mrs. C. E. Royston of Fulton as hostess. Miss Mary Carigan program leader presented "Colonial Homes" by Mrs. James R. Henry, Sr. "Massachusetts Bay Tercentenary" by Miss Mamie Twitcheell, a beautiful vocal selection by Mrs. Talbot Field. "Romance of Light House Service" by Miss Mary Catts of Washington. For the occasion, the reception suite of the Haynes home was aglow with a profusion of sweet peas, roses and larkspurs and a most delicious berry and ice course was served. Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. J. J. Battle, Fulton, Mrs. Wilbur Jones, Mrs. Lee Stone and Mrs. City of Ozan and Mrs. L. J. Gillespie, Mrs. J. M. Houston and Mrs. J. A. Henry.

Miss Merle Vick was hostess to the members of the Just a Mere Bridge Club on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst on West Division street. The rooms were brightly with the seasonal flowers were attractively arranged for four tables. Guests other than club members were Misses Edna and Mary Jones, Emma Green and Lovena Ruggles. High score was made by Miss Nell Bennett. Following the game a delicious

Divorce Fails To Halt Love



Edith Mason, Chicago Opera Company star, divorced him for another man, but Giorgio Polacco, conductor, loved her so much that he made her new husband, Dr. Maurice A. Bernstein of Chicago, solemnly promise that he would compel the signer not to eat pie or smoke cigars. That's what was learned when details of Miss Mason's secret divorce of Dr. Bernstein became public in Dallas, Tex., where it was granted, and now it is rumored that she and Polacco will re-wed. They are shown above.

ice course was served with angel food cake.

Mrs. L. W. Young, Mrs. Roy C. Wood and Miss Marguerite Taylor motored to Shreveport Friday for a short visit.

On Thursday evening, Miss Miriam Carlton entertained the members of the Thursday night Bridge Club and a few special guests at her home on East Third street. Beautiful spring flowers brightened the rooms and bridge was played from four tables, with Mrs. Geo. Ware scoring high for the guests and Miss Melva Rogers for the club. Out of town guests were Miss Mabel VanNess and Miss Edna Keller of Eudora, Ark.

Mrs. D. S. Lambeth left Thursday for her home in Alexandria, La., after a short visit with friends.

Miss Louise Hanagan left Thursday night for a week end visit with Misses Allie Hanagan and Mary Greening in Dallas, Texas.

The Ladies Auxiliary of St. Mark's Episcopal church will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clyde Hill on North Pine street.

Mrs. Fred Stroud left Friday for a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. P. Steele in Ashdown.

Miss Glenice VanNess has as guests this week her sister Miss Mabel VanNess and Miss Edna Keller of Eudora, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hanson have returned from a visit in Little Rock, where Mr. Hanson attended the Consistory Reunion.

Dr. Louis Barton of Tulsa, Okla., Dr. rived Thursday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. A. L. Johnson. Mrs. Johnson is enjoying the pleasure of a family reunion in her home this month including her sister, Mrs. J. L. Ware of Bonham, Texas, her brothers William Barton of Amarillo, Tex., and Dr. Louis Barton of Tulsa, Okla., Dr. Barton will preach at the Sunday night service, May 17 at the First Methodist church.

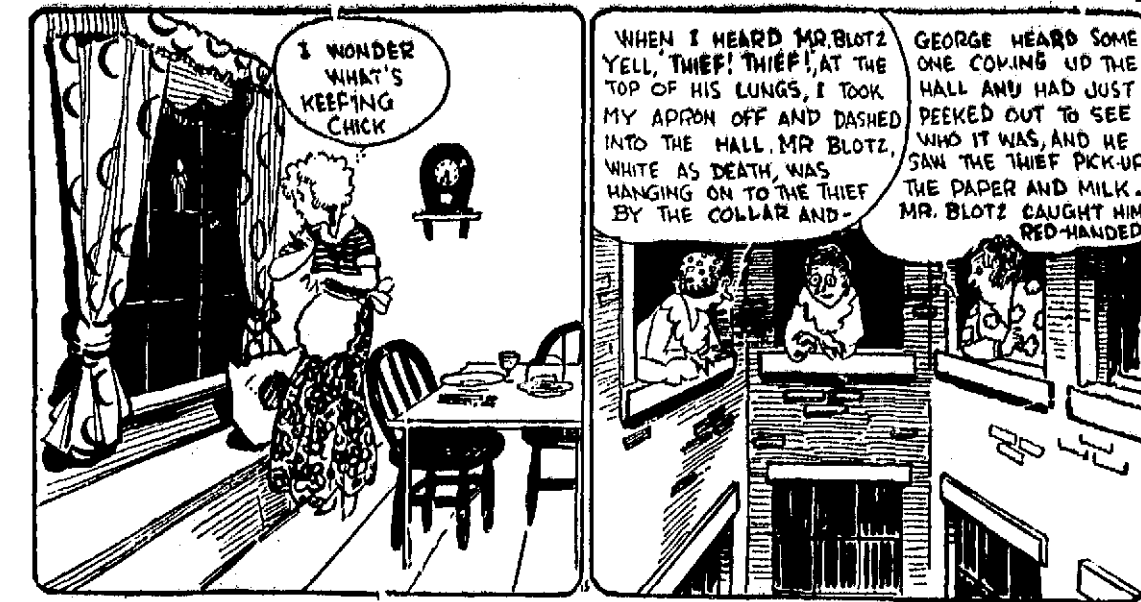
Mrs. Surrey Gilliam and children, who have been guests of Mrs. Gilliam's parents for the past month, have returned to their home in El Dorado.

Mrs. R. L. Harmon of Ozan was shopping in the city Thursday.

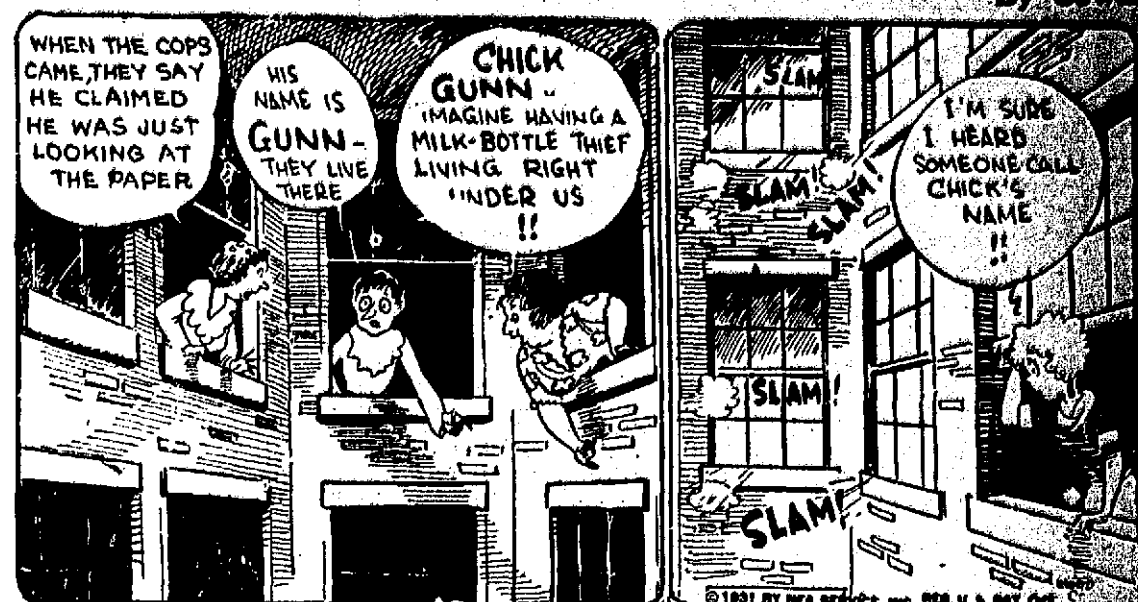
Rev. Strassner Home From Trip of Sorrow

The Rev. George F. X. Strassner, pastor of the local Catholic church, has returned home from Toledo, Ohio, where he was called on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Anna Strassner Grimes. Her son was the celebrant of the solemn requiem high mass, with her pastor and his assistant a deacon and sub-deacon respectively. Two of her grandsons served on the altar. Mrs. Grimes was born in Riga, Mich., January 21, 1870, and had lived in Toledo for the last 45 years.

MOM'N POP



Gossip Food!



Organ Recital at Saenger on Sunday

Mrs. Kenneth McRae Will Present Organ Pupils Sunday Evening

An organ recital, under the direction of Mrs. Kenneth McRae, who will present Miss Mildred Valentine, assisted by Miss Florence Risdon, Mezzo-Soprano, will be given at the Saenger Theatre next Sunday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend this recital.

Following is the program of the evening:

Organ—"The Parade of the Wooden Soldiers", Cronham; "Moonlight", Le-marr; "In a Shady Nook", Golden.

Voice—"Yo San", Linden; "Little Dove", Finden; "Sometime I Wonder", Finden.

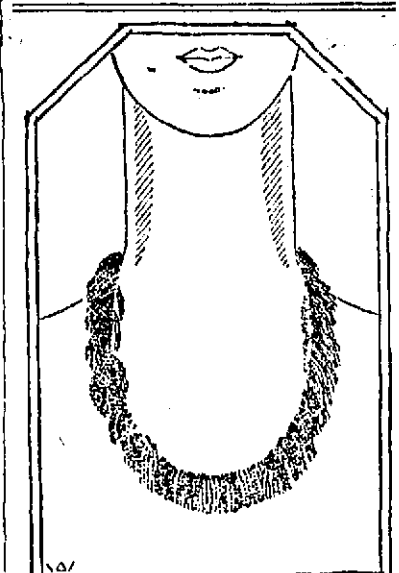
Organ—"Maerdel", King; "When Your Hair Has Turned to Silver", (dedicated to my Mother), Rose; Stein Song, Fenstad.

Voice—"A May Morning", Denza; "Would God I Were the Tender Apple Blossom", Hinkson; "A Birthday", Woodman.

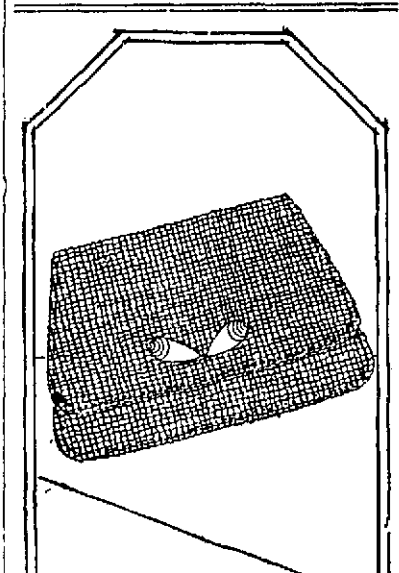
Organ—"On the Lagoon", Friml; "Song of Joy", Frysinger.

Mississippi Negro Preacher Coming Here

Rev. J. H. Moore, of Holly Springs, Miss., general secretary of missions for the C. M. E. church, will preach at the Bebe Memorial C. M. E. church on North Hazel street, Hope, on Sunday night, May 17, according to an announcement by Rev. G. W. Young, who is pastor of the local church.



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Arkansan Jailed in Texas Shooting

Fred Allen of Bradley Gives Up After Killing in Barber Shop

LONGVIEW, Tex.—(P)—Fred Allen, 30, unemployed oil field worker, surrendered to Sheriff Martin Hays here Thursday and was charged with murder in connection with the killing Wednesday night of H. M. ("Doc") Greene, 26, in a barber shop at Kilgore.

Allen said Greene accused him of stealing some whiskey, and that a fight occurred in the barber shop. Allen said that Greene drew a knife and slashed at his throat. He exhibited a mark on his throat. Allen said that Greene left for a gun and when he reentered the shop, Allen thought he saw Greene reach toward his hip, so he fired.

Allen, whose home is in Bradley, Ark., is married and has three children.

Loans to Veterans Over \$700,000,000

Officials Stick to Predictions Total Will Be Close to Billion Dollars

WASHINGTON—(P)—New loans to World war veterans on compensation certificates last week passed the \$700,000,000 mark.

Virtually abreast of accumulated applications for loans, the veterans administration said Friday that by last Saturday a total of \$711,132,026 had been turned over to 1,864,754 ex-soldiers.

On hand at the end of the week were 22,788 pending applications, most of which are expected to be passed on within a few days. However, new requests for loans still are coming in and officials have not revised their expectation that the outflow of funds will reach close to the billion mark. The applications had been declining in volume steadily until last week, but then they took a small upward rise.

Seven Comics Run Wild in New Picture

Seven leading film funsters contributed directly to the rollicking success of the Radio Picture comedy "Cracked Nuts," yet no two of them agree on why people laugh—or what constitutes screen humor.

Bert Wheeler says: "Give the audience a superiority complex by making yourself seem a nit-wit. Then they laugh out of sheer good nature."

Robert Woolsey says the opposite. "Outsmart your audience with whip lash wise-cracks. You can easily drive them into the laugh groove," he says.

Edward Cline, who directed "Cracked Nuts," believes the old formula that a pie in the face will get a laugh where everything else may fail.

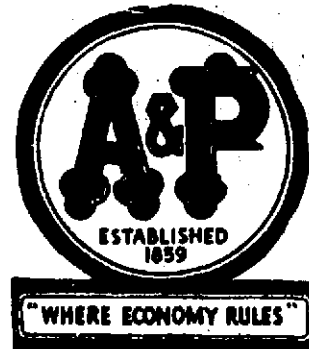
Douglas MacLean, associate producer of the Radio comedy, believes the humor must be in the situation.

Al Bosberg, writer and wise crack artist, believes that fun must lie in the lines of a play.

Ralph Spence believes in lines, too, filled with subtle humor. "I make faces," says Edna May Oliver.

"This very difference of opinion has given 'Cracked Nuts' a variety of laughs which makes it the outstanding fun film of the year," says MacLean in summing up the fine points of the picture.

Others in the cast of "Cracked Nuts," are Dorothy Lee, Leth Stengel, Stanley Fields, Harvey Clark and Boris Karloff.



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Half or Whole

Pound 16c

WILSON'S BACON SQUARES

Pound 15c

ENCORE

Macaroni or Spaghetti

8 oz. package 5c

Mustard, quart15c
Eagle Brand Milk, can.....19c
Cut Beets, No. 2 can.....10c
String Beans, No. 2 can.....10c
Shredded Wheat, package.....10c
Mothers China Oats, pkg.....32c
Calumet Baking Powder, lb.....25c
Domestic Sardines, 6 cans.....25c

Sweet Potatoes, No. 2 1/2 can.....15c
Cigarettes, popular brands, pkg..17c
Blackberries, No. 2 can.....14c
Van Camp's Hominy, No. 2 1/2 can.10c
Certo, bottle29c
Jar Ring, dozen5c
Mason Jar Lids, dozen.....25c
Gulf Wax, 1 lb. package.....10c

STEAK

Fancy Beef Round

Loin or T-Bone

Pound

24c

PINEAPPLE

Broken Sliced, No. 2 1/2 can.....21c
Broken Sliced, No. 2 can.....15c
Sliced or Crushed, No. 2 can.....21c
DelMonte Sliced, No. 1 can, 2 for..25c

Iona Fine Quality

CORN or PEAS

No. 2 Can 10c

Blue Ribbon Malt

3 Pound Can

50c

Chuck Roast

Pound

13c

Seven Steak

Pound

15c

Boiled Ham

Sliced—Pound

34c

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8 O'Clock, lb.....21c

Red Circle, lb.....25c

Bokar, lb.....29c

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Buffet Cans

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Full size bars—9 bars.....

25c

BANANAS, Yellow

Golden, Pound.....

5c

Cured Ham

Center Sliced

Lb. 29c

ENCORE

Prepared Spaghetti

3 Med. Cans 23c

Dry Salt Jowls

Pound

9c

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HOOKS & SLIDES

by William Braucher

Hook's Prediction
 In St. Petersburg, a couple of months ago, Herb Pennington, a local correspondent, told me that the new ball was going to be "hook" for me. And just look at that! Pennington!

As I remember part of his dis-
 course, he said: "The new ball is
 going to be great for curves. And
 you are going to see some pitch-
 ing battles."
 This came to mind the other
 day when Pennington pitched his
 name in Cleveland. It came to
 mind when the Giants won a
 ball game on a squeeze play. It
 came to mind when Johnny Ho-
 day, one of the plate with orders
 to hunt with the score tied in the
 10th and a man on first and no
 outs during a recent game. Pen-
 nington's words came back when
 Freddie Fitzsimmons' leaved a
 two-out contest against the well
 known Braves.

Maxie in This Corner
 WILLIE STRIBLING is the
 favorite of sports writers the
 country over. To win from Maxie
 Schmeling, according to a Police
 Gazette poll, the ratio in favor
 of Stribling is about 4 to 1. Your
 correspondent is on the short end
 of that one. Schmeling will win,
 or certainly!

Sharkey Picks Him
 JACK SHARKEY has gone on
 record as thinking that
 Schmeling will beat Stribling. His
 theory is that Stribling fades
 rapidly after 10 rounds and that
 Maxie will wear the Georgia boy
 down.

Joe Picks Himself
 JOE JACOBS is picking himself
 to win a bit in the Schmeling-
 Stribling thing. He says the gate
 will reach \$1,500,000 and doesn't
 even smile when he says it. Joe
 figures that the south will send
 15,000 people; Cleveland itself

HARMONY
 Planting cotton seems to be the
 order of the day in this community.
 The Misses Jeanes, Miss May Dean
 and Miss Bessie McMillen are
 singing at Evening Shade Sun-

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

IRON MASK, owned by Jef-
 ferson Livingston, the
 outstep king, ran six fur-
 longs faster than any horse
 in the world, except Master
 Willie. Iron Mask's time
 for the journey was
 1:09 3-5. Master Willie
 shaded that a fraction, but
 made his record running
 downhill at Benson Downs.
 ... Iron Mask performed
 a prodigious feat when he
 ran five furlongs in 1:03 2-5
 at the Juarez race track
 ... carrying 150 pounds
 ... the record for that
 distance was established at
 the same track, when Pat
 Zaretta stepped it in 57 1-5
 ... the world record for
 the mile and a quarter,
 which is the Kentucky
 Derby distance, is two min-
 utes. Whisk Broom II
 did it at Belmont. ... the
 nearest a horse ever came
 to that record in the Ken-
 tucky Derby itself was the
 mark of 2:04 by George
 Smith, winner in 1916.

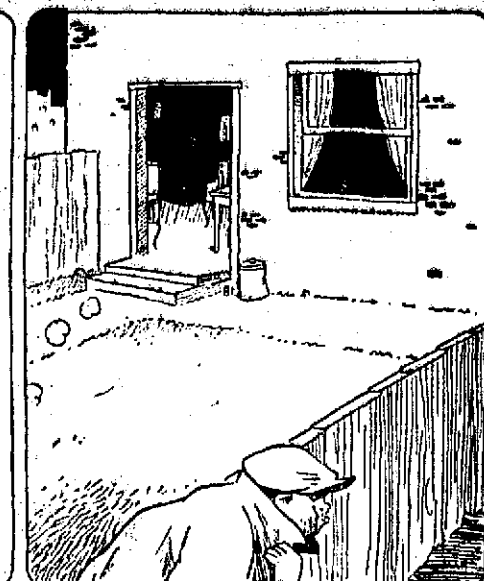
will furnish 30,000, paying sap-
 ports. Ohio will be represented by
 10,000 additional; Michigan and
 Canada will shoot along 15,000;
 Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and
 other Pennsylvania cities will
 kick in with 10,000 paid, and
 Chicago, New York and other
 cities will take 20,000 subscrip-
 tions. That equals 100,000.

Nearly that many saw a ball
 game in Yankee Stadium the
 other day, but the proposition
 after a bit. You can still see a
 ball game for a buck. The antics
 of a couple of leather-pushing
 bums cost more to watch. Ja-
 cob's figures may not be as wet
 as they look, but the fact re-
 mains that railroads still charge
 a good seat at a fight is expensive,
 and bucks aren't in season, it
 seems.

COLUMBUS
 The musical given at the home of
 George McMillen Saturday night was
 enjoyed by those who attended.
 Thurman Landers and family spent
 Saturday night at the home of S. M.
 Hodnett and wife.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

HAVING
 DISCOVERED
 THAT SHE
 IS JUST
 OUT OF
 COCOA
 MRS. CULLER
 IS MAKING
 COFFEE FOR
 FRECKLES



I'M SORRY I CAN'T GIVE
 YOU COCOA, BUT A CUP
 OF GOOD COFFEE WILL
 SERVE THE SAME
 PURPOSE

WELL, THANKS
 VERY MUCH,
 MRS. CULLER,
 BUT I NEVER
 DRINK ANY
 COFFEE!!

No, Thanks!

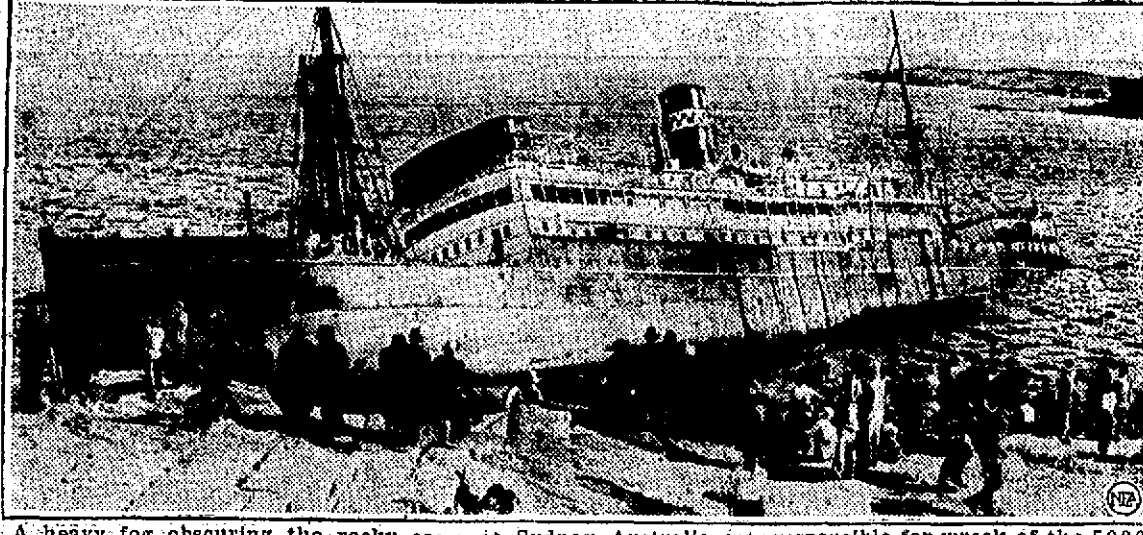
OH, BUT YOU SHOULD HAVE
 SOMETHING HOT... HOWEVER,
 IT WON'T BE WASTED... I'LL
 PUT IT IN MR. CULLER'S
 THERMOS TO TAKE WITH
 HIM ON HIS NEXT
 RUN!!

NOW, IF YOU
 HAVE DOUGHNUTS
 TO GO WITH
 THE COFFEE, I'LL
 HAVE JUST THE
 DOUGHNUTS!!

WHY THAT'S WHAT FLOYD
 WENT TO THE STORE FOR...
 HERE HE COMES NOW—
 YOU'LL LIKE FLOYD!!

By Blosser

27 Rescued After Steamer Rams Reef in Fog



A heavy fog obscuring the rocky coast at Sydney, Australia, was responsible for wreck of the 5000-ton steamer, Malabar, sitown above after it rammed a reef and the 27 passengers were saved. Because of the calm weather no difficulty was experienced in taking off the passengers, but a few hours later a storm battered the wreck to pieces.

Little Howard Vines is on the sick
 list this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanford and
 family were visiting at Hope, Sat-
 urch night and Sunday.
 Melvin, Jim, and Jesse Jordan, have
 returned to Patmos, after spending
 the week-end with home folks here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Merriam Huckabee
 were the dinner guests, Wednesday of
 Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodnett.
 Mrs. Mealy Daugherty and son,
 Curtis of Alton, were visiting in this
 vicinity Sunday and Monday.

Soon to Wed



Rumors of weddings and engage-
 ments have trailed beautiful
 Princess Ileana, 22, of Rumania,
 since she became of age. A year
 ago Queen Marie announced she
 would marry Count von Hoch-
 zerg, but plans were suddenly
 abandoned. Now her engagement
 to Archduke Anton von Haps-
 burg, employe of a Vienna mo-
 tion picture company and famed
 as an aviator, has been announced
 by her mother. They'll be mar-
 ried in June. Here they are.

laid for: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bishop,
 Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hamilton and
 Danny Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. L. A.
 Walker of Nashville and Mr. and Mrs.
 Edward Lane of Hope.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stuart and chil-
 dren of Washington were guests of
 Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stuart, Sunday.
 Dr. H. H. Darnall and Miss Frances
 Darnall were visitors to Hope Sat-
 urch.

Rev. J. C. Williams of Washington
 filled his regular appointment at the
 Presbyterian church here Sunday.
 R. E. Jackson and T. H. Stuart were
 visitors to Texarkana Wednesday.
 R. R. Gillispie of Hope was a recent
 visitor here.
 Mrs. C. R. White returned home
 Tuesday from a visit in Hot Springs.
 H. E. McKinney of Saratoga was a
 recent visitor here.
 G. E. Stanton and Miss Valera
 Stanton of Saratoga were visitors here
 Wednesday.
 Cap Cannon of McNab was in town
 Wednesday.
 Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Autrey were vis-
 itors to Saratoga Wednesday.
 Miss Lorena Darnall is the guest
 of Mrs. John Hawkins of Foreman.

BODCAW NO. 1

Friends will be glad to know that
 Horace Fuller who underwent a ser-
 ious operation at the Julia Chester
 hospital Wednesday is doing as well
 as could be expected.
 Quite a few from this place attend-
 ed the May singing at Nichols school
 house Sunday and reported a nice
 time.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Fuller, Mrs.
 Gilbert Fuller and children spent
 Saturday at the home of Mrs. E. B.
 Collier near Hope.
 Miss Muriel Mitchell spent last
 week with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell
 of Prescott.
 Miss Audra Fuller is at home after

teaching a successful term at Pleasant
 Hill, near Prescott.
 Miss Muriel Mitchell spent Wednes-
 day with Mrs. Edgar Downs of Bod-
 caw No. 2.

DEANN

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Burke are the
 proud parents of a fine daughter.
 John Lloyd made a trip to Hope,
 Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burke were in
 Hope Friday.
 Miss Faye Samuel made a trip to
 town Saturday.
 Mrs. H. W. Timberlake and little
 daughter, were visiting in DeAnn.
 LeRoy Samuel has started chopping
 cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Odas Wanders passed
 through DeAnn Thursday.
 Harold Poole spent the week-end
 with his sister, Mrs. Fern Roberts of
 Battledore.
 Monroe Samuel made a business trip
 to Hope, Friday.
 Carlton Samuel was a visitor in
 Hope Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Schooley passed
 through this community Sunday.
 We are very sorry to hear that Miss
 Faye Lee Roberts is ill with pneu-
 monia. We hope for her a quick re-
 covery.
 Miss Katherine Roberts of Provi-
 dence has been visiting near here.
 Miss Edna Allen of Broken Bow,
 Okla. is visiting her relatives here.
 Leon Bundy of Hope was visiting
 relatives here Thursday.

WHITE'S CHAPEL

A nice crowd attended preaching
 here Saturday and Sunday.
 W. E. Knight and family of Falcon
 attended church here Sunday.
 Mrs. D. Whitten has been on the
 sick list this past week.
 Byron Spencer made a business trip
 to Hope last Wednesday.
 Mrs. Retha Spencer is at the bedside
 of her father, Mr. John Camp, who is
 seriously ill.
 Mrs. George Morris is on the sick
 list. We hope for her a speedy re-
 covery.
 Uncle Joe Fincher attended singing
 at Rocky Mound Sunday afternoon.
 Nearly everyone is through plant-

WHEN SYSTEM— NEEDS CLEANING

Take Black-Draught To Help
 Throw Out the Poisons At-
 tending Constipation.

"I have used Theodor's Black-
 Draught off and on for twenty-five
 years, and have found it to be a
 good medicine," writes Mr. Dave
 Stewart, of 1212 East Second
 Street, Austin, Texas. This medi-
 cine, he adds, had been used in his
 father's home for many years and
 was "our general family medicine."
 "My health was always good.
 About all I ever took I used for
 constipation and bilious, sick head-
 aches."
 "It is a fine medicine to take
 when a man gets up in the morn-
 ing feeling dull and sluggish. After
 a course of it, I feel fine. It
 seems to rid the system of poisons
 which come from constipation."
 A somewhat similar experience is
 described by Mr. M. T. Sandies, of
 1212 Williams Street, Columbia,
 S. C., who says:
 "About all the medicine I need is
 a laxative for constipation. When
 I get bilious or constipated, I suf-
 fer from sick headaches, and feel
 dull, tired and stupid. Then I
 take a dose of Black-Draught and
 get relief. It is splendid to cleanse
 the system."

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Flour	Country Club	24	55c	48	\$1.09
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Potatoes	10	Lbs.	29c	Apples	Fancy Winesap 3 Lbs. 25c
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Lettuce	Large Heads		7 1/2c	Carrots	Bunch 5c

Coffee That Good 7 \$1.00
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Milk	Supreme 2	Tall Cans	15c	Pinto Beans	5 Lbs.	25c
Oleo	2	Lbs. For	25c	Chewing Gum	3 Pkgs.	10c
Crackers	2	Lb. Box	25c	All Candy Bars	3 For	10c
Apple Butter	Quart Jar		25c	Tomato Soup	3 Cans	25c

Waldorf Toilet Tissue 5 25c
 Rolls

CORN	No. 2 Can	10c	C.C. Pork-Beans	2 Cans	15c
Green Beans	No. 2 Can	10c	Steamboat Syrup	Gal.	59c
Tomatoes	3 No. 2 Cans	25c	Vanilla Wafers	Pound	25c
Hominy	2 No. 2 Cans	15c	TEA	Orange Pekoe—1/2 Lb. Box	29c

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Salt Meat Best Grade Pound 13 1/2c

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SLICED BACON	Pound	22 1/2c	GOOD Salt Meat	For Boiling—Pound	10c

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THE MELODY GIRL

by RUTH DEWEY GROVES

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AUTHOR OF "The Husband Hunter," etc.

IRISH HERE TODAY

Beryl, however, secretly is in love with Tommy Wilson, and she is determined to marry him. But she is in a bit of a dilemma, for she is a Catholic and Tommy is a Protestant. She is in a bit of a dilemma, for she is a Catholic and Tommy is a Protestant. She is in a bit of a dilemma, for she is a Catholic and Tommy is a Protestant.

pathy for me."

"That's all nonsense," Tommy said boldly. "But if you're so unhappy why don't you marry me?"

"I don't want to marry you just to escape my unhappiness," Irene replied nobly.

Tommy was too much impressed with the sentiment to consider the rapidly with which she had changed from angel to self-pity to a self-sacrifice. Never had he suspected Irene of being insincere.

"What's that got to do with it," he asked, "if you love me?"

"Everything, Tommy," Irene said wistfully. "Don't you see? When I marry you I want it to be because there's nothing else in the world that I want to do more. And right now what I want most is to get away from all this humiliation Beryl has caused. Sometimes when I think I'll go away somewhere and."

she thought she would marry Tommy but he somehow always succeeded in upsetting her when they were together. Then, angry with him, she could not say yes. It was a trying position for one who had never cultivated selfishness and Irene was in a maze of doubts.

Well, she thought, looking at Tommy over her shoulder, she could wait until Beryl actually "went on the air" and then decide. Beryl might be a flop and then home would be home once more.

"I'll bet Beryl put him up to that cheap trick," the girl had remarked sneeringly. Mr. Dorgan turned quickly in his seat to see who dared so to malign his son.

"I'll bet," he snorted when he saw that it was Irene. "I guess Mike can think up his own tricks," he added proudly.

His wife dug him in the ribs with her elbow and bade him turn around and keep quiet for his manner was too truculent for a public place.

Her voice trailed away sadly for she did not want to spoil the effectiveness of her threat, which would not be a threat if it were not vague. Just the thought of her "going away somewhere" ought to make Tommy terribly unhappy she believed.

AND she wanted him to be unhappy. She wanted to make someone suffer and he was nearest at hand. His answer filled her with rage but for once she kept it under control.

"Dorgan's not so bad," Tommy said uneasily. "He didn't mean anything. But listen, Irene, won't you give me a break? We could be married right away and..."

It occurred on a rainy night, thereby affording Irene an excuse to stay at home and listen in on the radio without admitting that she wouldn't have done anything else for worlds.

SHE'D have been much happier if she had gone out for—there was no doubt of it—Beryl scored a success.

The announcer told of the telephone messages of praise that poured in and of the enthusiasm of the studio attaches, of the congratulations that were being heaped upon the young singer, and of the singer's charmingly natural acceptance of it all. She seemed, he said, neither to take it for granted as what was due her nor to feel that she was being overpraised. She was grateful, pleased, happy and "like a child before a Christmas tree," he told his audience.

There was more but Irene tuned it out on pretext of improving the reception. Her face was contorted with jealous emotion but Tommy did not see it as they had been sitting in the semi-dark. It was the season when, for a few days, certain parts of Long Island were sorely troubled with gnats. The Everett house was none too well screened. It was best not to burn a light in the room where you sat.

So Tommy did not see how Irene felt about her sister's success. He heard her say something conventionally decent about it, and agreed, although more wholeheartedly, that it was great, never realizing that Irene was seething with suppressed envy. With her mother and father sitting in the dining room, and no excuse for it anyway, Irene had not dared say what she really felt concerning Beryl's debut.

OUT OUR WAY

—By Williams



Where Fierce Blast Took Toll of 150 Lives



This scene of utter destruction tells the story of the disastrous explosion which wrecked the naval laboratory at Nienheroy, Brazil, killing 150 workers and injuring more than 300 others. Here you see rescuers groping through the ruins in a search for the bodies of additional victims. Many of the injured were removed across the bay from Nienheroy to hospitals in Rio de Janeiro.

Calls Troops In Mine War



"A reign of terror" that's the way Governor Flem D. Sampson, above, described the situation around Haysville, Ky., as he called out the National Guard to help restore order. Haysville affairs have been brought to a crisis, by Communist agitators who inflamed hungry miners.

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ELK'S MONKEY DANCE: Friday night, May 15th, 10:00 o'clock to 2:00. Get a date now. 11-5t

NOTICE: Every lady dancer will receive a monkey free at the Elk's Dance Friday night. 11-5t

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—Big bone Poland China Sow, About 3 years old. Unmarked. R. N. Mathews, Hope Rt. 1, Centerline highway, one mile east of Hope. 13-3p.

Pulitzer Winners

MELROSE

Mrs. H. P. Lauterbach and daughter, Ruth, were shopping in Hope Wednesday.

Miss Annie Mac Arnold spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lillian Collier of Hope.

Miss Lillian Caudle is spending the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Caudle of Hope.

Mrs. Bernice Eubanks of Oakland, called on Mrs. H. P. Lauterbach Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dutch Hucklebee and family spent the night with Mrs. A. L. Caudle, Monday.

Mrs. Rufus Mouser and daughter, Ruth, went to Texarkana Saturday to meet Mrs. Mouser's mother, Mrs. Eubanks.

Harry Lauterbach went to Washington Monday night to a picnic given by a number of young folks.

Egbert Wise and Mrs. Dick Atkins, Minden, La., attended the funeral of Miss Alma Rothwell Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Beckworth of Hope, spent Sunday with Miss Winifred Wise.

Mrs. Tom Taylor is able to be up after an illness of a few days.

OAKLAND

Roy Tullis and Guy Watkins made a business trip to Texarkana Tuesday.

A large crowd attended singing at Oakland Sunday night.

Mrs. W. E. Tullis and children went to hear their uncle, The Rev. L. M. Sipes, preach at Washington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mitchell and son, David, and daughter, Mrs. Cora Abbott and Mrs. Lillian Reed, attended services at Washington Sunday.

Crops in this community are fine.

Everybody is invited to come to Sunday school at 2:30 each Sunday at Oakland and singing Sunday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pettit and son, William Paul, attended services at Washington Sunday.

Miss Thelma Robertson of Texarkana is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Robertson of Ozan.

Painter Devotes Career to Portrayals of Hell

PARIS—(U.P.)—Hell in water colors has been so skillfully painted by one Amos Nattini, whose entire artistic career has been devoted to an interpretation of Dante's "Comedy," that a record crowd gathered at the opening of the exhibition at the Musée de Jeu de Paume, and many had to be turned away.

All stages of torment is the delight of M. Nattini's brush and he has very successfully depicted the most gruesome scenes of Dante's imagination with academic reading and realism.

In order to get just the exact proportions and utter realism into his colossal work, the artist spent many months in studying the attitudes of coal-heavers and dock workers, stripped to the waist and disfigured by grime and sweat. Critics are pretty much agreed that Nattini follows no particular school of painting, and that his work gives evidence of isolated and individual aesthetic research.

"Sweepin' the clouds away."

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TO use Morton's Salt in rainy weather is just like sweeping the clouds away. It never cakes or hardens on damp days, but pours just as freely as it does when the weather is fine. Don't forget, too, that the iodized variety positively protects children from simple goiter... that common cause of loss of appetite, lack of vigor and backwardness at school. Try it soon!

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Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NBA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—The extreme

importance of carrying New

York in the next presidential elec-

tion, Governor Franklin D. Roose-

velt's relations with Tammany and

the question whether Roosevelt

could be nominated and elected in

light of Tammany opposition are

the most important topics of increas-

ing importance even though the Re-

publican and Democratic national

committees have been confining

themselves to calling each other's

charges lies.

As things stand today it appears

that Roosevelt, should he defy

Tammany, could win the Demo-

cratic nomination despite his party's

veterate two-thirds rule and the fact

that politicians in some other

northern states probably would

combine with Tammany in an effort

to stop him. If this is true and re-

mains true, the question whether

Roosevelt could carry New York in

the election is then of most vital

moment.

Wilson Won Without N. Y.

It has become almost axiomatic

among political experts that a presi-

dential election can't be won with-

out New York's 45 electoral votes.

If the Democrats take the state in

1932 it will be the first time in 40

years, except for 1912, when the

Republicans split. Wilson was

elected in 1916 without New York,

but only by carrying such seem-

ingly Republican states as Cal-

ifornia, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Ne-

braska, New Hampshire, North Da-

kota and Wyoming.

Reports from New York are that

Tammany is definitely sour on

Roosevelt regardless of what he may

do about New York City's scandals.

Even if he desired, he could hardly

conciliate Tammany without conced-

ing so much as to ruin himself

with the rest of the country. So he

probably will be forced to let the

nature of the Tiger take its course,

capitalizing Tammany enmity for all

its worth and risk a knifing in

New York City a year from next

November if he is nominated.

Cleveland Beat the "Tiger"

Tammany, of course, has been ac-

cused of knifing nearly every

Democratic presidential candidate

—even Al Smith—and sometimes,

at least, the charge has been true.

But ordinarily the party depends

on Tammany to get a New York

vote big enough to overcome the

usual Republican majorities up-

state.

Nearly all discussions of the

Roosevelt-Tammany situation have

looked back to the days when Grover

Cleveland defied Tammany and yet

got his party and the country be-

hind him. There are certain ob-

vious parallels and other great dif-

ferences in Cleveland's experience

which may well be sketched.

Cleveland ran and was elected

first in 1884 and Tammany treach-

ery would have then lost him the

presidency except for a curious

combination of factors and events.

Governor of New York, as Roose-

velt is, he faced a hostile Tammany

and made no attempt to conciliate

it. Tammany delegates were forced

to have their ballots cast for him,

however, under the unit rule—

something which now seems unlik-

ely to be repeated in 1932.

Four Important Factors

Cleveland won New York, which

then meant the presidency for him,

by 1149 votes. Because of Tam-

many's opposition it seems likely

that he could not have won had a

single one of the following factors

been absent:

1—The famous "Rum, Romanism

and Rebellion" boner pulled by a

clergyman at a reception to his op-

ponent, James G. Blaine.

2—The large "mugwump" or in-

dependent vote withheld from

Blaine.

3—The hatred of Roscoe Con-

kling, an important Republican

leader, for Blaine.

4—A Prohibitionist vote of 25,

000, most of it normally Republi-

can.

All these things seem to have

been worth more than 600 votes

apiece to Cleveland and possibly

so were others, such as the Long

Island City frauds where votes cast

for Ben Butler were allegedly

counted for Cleveland.

Tammany could not block Cle-

veland's nomination in 1888, but it

was commonly believed to have en-

compassed his defeat in the election

by selling him out in order to elect

its gubernatorial candidate, David

B. Hill. Benjamin Harrison took

the state by 13,000 votes; a switch

of half as many would have given

Cleveland the state and the election.

Prison Babe Frees Mother



Motherhood won freedom for Mrs. Mary Kavanaugh, 25, shown above with her baby, Frances Mary. The baby was born last July while she was serving two to 24 years for grand theft. Now Governor Ralph of California has pardoned her from San Quentin penitentiary—but her husband, Edward, is serving out her term.

"I am here to see justice done." "Who, me?" asked Justice Dunn. "No, sir," replied the witness, who was dismissed.

Auto Pays Midnight Visit

WASHOUGAL, Wash.—(U.P.)—Gus Heater was rudely awakened at midnight when John LaChance's automobile skidded on a curve, plunged through Gus's two-room shack and shoved Heater and his bed out a rear wall. None was injured.

Boy Scouts' Chief



New president of the Boy Scouts of America is Mortimer L. Schiff, above, New York banker. At the annual meeting of the scouts in Memphis, Tenn., he was chosen to succeed Walter W. Head of Chicago.

From South Sea To "Follies"



NEA San Francisco Bureau From a South Sea island to Ziegfeld Follies via one motion picture is the route traveled by "Reri," Polynesian dancer, shown above as she arrived in San Francisco on her way to New York. Without previous experience, she was chosen to appear in a movie filmed on the island of Bora Bora "Reri's" Americanized name is Anna Chevalier.

Long Live the King!



Hate off! You're in the presence of the king. Here he is, the great Man o' War, 11 years after he won 20 of his 21 races. This aristocrat of the turf kingdom is 14 years old and hale and hearty as ever, thank you. He resides in kingly quarters at the Idle Hour farm near Lexington, Ky. Thousands of visitors call on him annually and he never fails to strut in regal fashion. This is his latest picture. You're welcome.

Sought as Killer



Object of a spectacular man-hunt by police of several states, Francis Crowley, 20 (above) is wanted for two murders. He fled after having shot and killed a policeman from a car in a petter's lane near North Merrick, Long Island, and was suspected of having previously murdered a helpless girl.

Tiny Screen Star in Hospital



Taken suddenly ill in Washington, Harry Earle, who played the role of the treacherous midgel in Lon Chaney's picture, "The Unholy Three," was rushed to a hospital where his ailment was diagnosed as appendicitis. Here you see a nurse taking the diminutive actor's pulse just before he was removed to the operating room.

Here are the WINNERS of the Black Beauty Contest

The following winners of Grand and Community Prizes may receive their awards by writing or calling the local office of the Southern Ice and Utilities Company. All those who entered the Black Beauty Contest will receive their prizes in a few days.

The Company takes this opportunity to thank each and every participant for the keen interest which was shown in the Contest.

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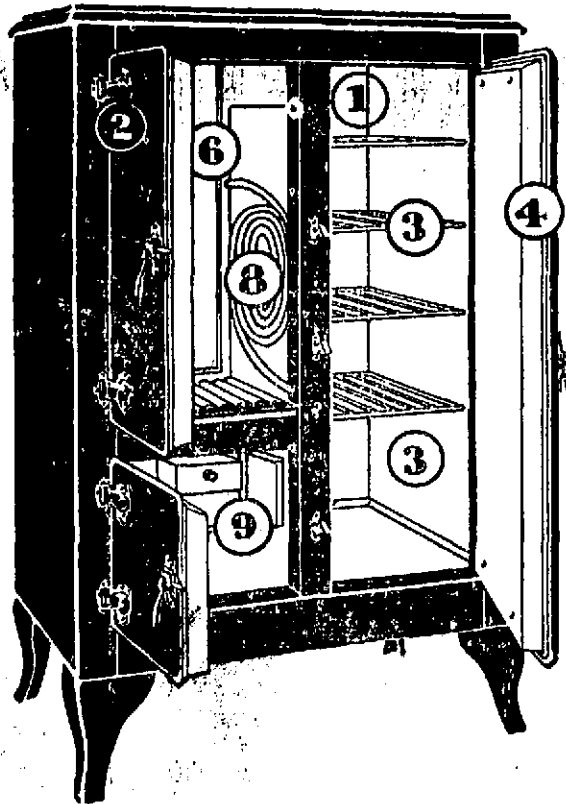
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CRANSTON, R. I.—(U.P.)—A witness was on the stand during hearing of a civil suit in district court. "Did you see the automobile coming east?" asked Justice Louis W. Dunn.

"Who, me?" asked the witness. "Yes, you." "No, sir." "Did you see the automobile coming west?" "Who, me?" "Yes, you." "No, sir." "Then why are you here?" demanded Justice Dunn.

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